

JOSH CELLARS FAMILY RESERVE

2013

AVA

North Coast

STYLE

The wine has dense blueberry and plum aromatics, with hints of baking spice, vanilla bean and toasty oak. On the palate, the wine is bursting with juicy cherries, fresh raspberries, and stewed plums, with a velvety soft texture, finishing long with fine tannins and layers of vanilla and subtle oak.

BLEND

91% Cabernet Sauvignon, 9% Merlot

WINEMAKING

Handpicked at the peak of flavor development, the 2013 was crushed and cold soaked for 24 hours. The must was punched down daily to maximize flavor extraction, followed by a 7-10 day extended maceration.

SOURCING

Mendocino, Lake, Sonoma and Napa counties.

TECHNICAL DATA

 $\textbf{Cooperage Treatment:} \ \ \text{Oak aged with new French oak for } 18\text{-}20 \ \text{months.} \ 40\% \ \text{new}.$

Alc/Vol: 14.53 % **TA:** 5.6 g/L **pH:** 3.80 **VA:** 0.65

JOSEPH CARR FOUNDER

WAYNE DONALDSON WINEMAKER



